

SENATE BILL 1017  
By Bryson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 53, Chapter 3, Part 1, relative to certain dairy products.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 53, Chapter 3, Part 1, is amended by adding a new section thereto, as follows:

Section 53-3-118.

(a) Raw, unpasteurized cow or goat milk that is produced and delivered on the premises may be sold to consumers pursuant to the following:

(1) The milk is cooled immediately after being drawn from the cow or goat to fifty degrees (50°) or less and so maintained until it is delivered to the consumer;

(2) The milk is bottled on the premises where produced and is delivered in containers which have the pouring lip completely protected from contamination;

(3) The milk is sold to the consumer within thirty (30) hours after production and labeled to indicate the date of production;

(4) The milk is sold on the property where it is produced;

(5) The milk is clearly labeled **NOT PASTEURIZED – NOT FOR RESALE**; and

(6) Not more than twenty-five (25) gallons of milk are sold per day.

(b) Raw, unpasteurized cow or goat milk may be advertised solely by a sign on the premises on which the milk is produced.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.